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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Tanja SCHNEIDER, et al.

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FOR: USE OF HYDROPHOBICALLY MODIFIED COPOLYMERS BASED ON N-VINYL MONOMERS TO PRODUCE MEMBRANES

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
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In response to the Office Action dated December 7, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.